Hiller & Rivords

Let us estimate for you on Window Shades and Lino-leums.

New Stock of Summer Floor Coverings

Our having the finest assortment of Summer Rugs and Mattings in Richmond is not a matter of chance or haphazard.

We prepared for a big business this spring and we're getting it Something new coming in daily. Visit our third floor if you'd see the up-to-date things in Floor Coverings, and notice especially the low prices.

Crex Rugs

By all odds the favorite floor covering for summer,

Prairie grass chemically treated; beautiful patterns. Easily cleaned; thoroughly hygiene. .

8x10 feet\$6.00 9x12 feet\$7.50

Shirvan & Kashmir Rugs Imitations in patterns of real

Oriental Rugs. Blues, greens, tans & mixtures, in all sorts of beautiful patterns. Two-sided effects.

Gretchen Rugs

Woven on hand looms-very similar in weave to the old ental & floral effects. style rag carpet.

Nothing better for summer homes, Exceptionally serviceable. Very pretty & cheap.

> 4x7 feet\$2.75 6x9 feet\$5.50 9x12 feet \$10.00

> > Fibre Rugs

Beautiful patterns-all new Rugs

Jap Matting Rugs

Plenty of patterns in Ori-

Mattings

It goes without saying that these Mattings are all firstclass goods-we never handle "seconds." The price per yard includes laying.

Good Ching Mattings, in all colors,

Extra Heavy China Mattings, in greens, reds & blues, 25c yard. New China Mattings, in all colors, the 35c kind, for 30c yard.

MASONS OBSERVE DODGE ELECTION WILLIAMS SPEAKS ANCIENT RITES OF SUPERVISORS TO UNDERTAKERS

Brilliant Musical Program Marks Children's Playgrounds Delayed Health Commissioner Urges Ac-Closing Night of Spring

hat closed with a magnificent banquet

FIRE ON FREE BRIDGE

Efforts of Incendiary.

Fire believed to have been of incendiary origin was discovered late Wednesday night on the Free Bridge by a street car crew, who turned in an alarm. Firemen found a ladder and boat underneath the bridge, and it is supposed that somebody set it affre, leaving the boat and getting to shore on a gang plank, or by means of the rocks. The fire did no, gain much headway, but might have been sorious had it not been discovered in time. Besides the wooden floor beams and stringers there are wooden from the did the the wooden floor beams and stringers there are wooden from the the weaker spans.

by Political Struggle in Committee for City Jobs.

Mr. Pollard Not to Run.

curate Returns of Vital Statistics.

Chesapeake and Ohio and At- Drunken Policeman Hauled to Growing Work for Colored Boys Honors Given Graduates of

lantic Coast Line Yield Bet-

Southern Railway Statement Shows Continued Increase in

Net Earnings.

NURSES GRADUATE

COMMITTEE CALLED

And the state of t

TWO ROADS TO PAY BADGE AND CLUB REFORM SCHOOL NIGHT CLASSES LARGER DIVIDENDS DID NOT SAVE HIM NOW OUT OF DEBT AWARD DIPLOMAS

Station-House in Automo-

bile Patrol.

Reports.

of Virginia Shown by

Sergeant Finds Small Boys Trustees Bestow High Praise on Chairman Wiley Shows Growth Badgering Intoxicated Of-

ficer on His Beat.

Marriage License, A marriage license was issued yesterday in the Hustings Court to William E. Mc-Gheo and Helen Miller.

Ellen Shibben, Who Succeeded John H. Smyth.

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TALK OF TRUNK SYSTEM OFFICER LEAR SUSPENDED SUPERINTENDENT ELECTED SECRETARY COOPER SPEAKS

Young Men's Christian Asso-

ciation Evening College.

of Educational Work of Local Association.

Shack Injured by Fire.

Firemen were called this morning at 1:36 oclock to extinguish a fire on Duval Street between Fourth and Fifth, where an old disused shack had caught. The blaze was soon extinguished by the department, and the damage amounted only to about \$75.

The street of the previous year, an increase of over 25 per cent; that total attendance 5,430, against 5,025 for the previous year, an increase of \$per cent.

"We realize that with young men and boys working hard during the day, and with engagements calling for them at night, it is a difficult thing to secure regular attendance. Let me emphasize the necessity for this to the man who would win out in the battle of life, and as a means to this end we would advocate some special honor to the man who in the coming year makes a perfect record on altendance and deportment."

MAY ADOPT NEW SIGNAL SYSTEM

Bell and Flashlight Police Calls Stand Tests Successfully.

fully,

As it fulfits all requirements made of it, and is believed to be a splendid auxiliary to the signal service system, the Gamewell police emergency signal, consisting of a loud gong and a flashilight, which is being tested at Seventh and Broad Streets, may be adopted by the city and placed at several points. The apparatus, which is installed on a lamp-post, is operated from the signal office. The operator, receives a telephone message that there is a disturbance somewhere by the neighborhood of, the signal, and he presses a button, setting the gong off and causing the light to flash. An officer sociit, or heatis it, and responds, receiving his orders through the police telephone.

The test was quite successful, and the department is much pleased with it. If the Board of Commissioners approves, emergency signals will be installed—one in the banking distrit on Main Street, one at Twenty-fifth and Broad Streets and another at Lombardy and Broad three central points of the city.

The system is the invention of City Bleatrician W. H. Thompson, who once offered it to the city, which refused to take it up, and it was purchased by the Gamewell Company,

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Contractor Clay of Intentional Wrong-Doing.

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Street Committee Exonerates Stanley Williams Charged With Hanover Farmer Tells Police